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With regard to the above-identified application, the items of information listed on the enclosed Form 1449 are brought to the attention of the Examiner.

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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NO.	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	2004/0199123 A1	10/07/2004	Nielsen			
	2004/0204687 A1	10/14/2004	Mogensen et al.			
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	DOCUMENT NO.	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION	
						YES	NO
	299 05 072 U1	09/09/1999	DE			Full	
	202 20 543 U1	10/02/2003	DE			Abstract	

OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

	Copy of International Search Report from Counterpart Foreign Application mailed December 23, 2004

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